

Blackwater National Wildlife Refuge

Ground Waterfowl Survey

January 13, 2015

<i>Species</i>	<i>Code</i>	<i>Total</i>
Canada Goose	CAGO	9,456
Mallard	MALL	1,243
American Black Duck	ABDU	54
Wood Duck	WODU	0
Hooded Merganser	HOME	0
Ruddy Duck	RUDU	0
Northern Shoveler	NSHO	1
Northern Pintail	NOPI	514
American Green-winged Teal	AGWT	0
Common Merganser	COME	0
Unid. Duck	UNID	0
American Widgeon	AMWI	0
Ring-necked duck	RNDU	0
Tundra Swan	TUSW	214
Snow Goose White	SNGO	0
Snow Goose Blue	SNGO	0
Pied billed grebe	PBGR	0
Great blue heron	GBHE	8
American White Pelican	AWPE	3
total WATERFOWL		11,482
total DUCK		1,812

Note: very icy conditions, with lots (eg. eight hanging out in 5CRiver) of bald eagles sitting on ice.
(May have been reason for the large drop in numbers from the previous week)